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## REPORT

### PhD Studentship Recruitment

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# MacroAutophagy and Necrotic Neurodegeneration in Ageing

## MANNA

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According to the Grant Agreement for MANNA-695190, we have posted the advertisement for seven (7) PhD Studentship positions in life sciences at the Tavernarakis laboratory. The text for the MANNA's open position posts has been published on February 5, 2017 at the website of the Institute of Molecular Biology and Biotechnology-FORTH ([http://www.imbb.forth.gr/jobs/050217\\_ORZ-0033.pdf](http://www.imbb.forth.gr/jobs/050217_ORZ-0033.pdf)).

The desired qualifications of the applicants involved MSc in Biology, prior documented experience on nematode genetics and fluency in English.

Each applicant has submitted their application as complete .pdf files to the Lab Manager in charge i.e. Angeliki Pasparki in response to the advertised position (Ref # ORZ-0033) who archived all the applications. The number of applications that have been received is fifteen (15).

Dr. Nektarios Tavernarakis, Dr. George Garinis, Dr. Maria Markaki are the aforementioned scientists in charge on behalf of FORTH that consist the evaluation committee for the selection of the postdoctoral scientist. The committee convened on February 21, 2017 and evaluated the fifteen (15) applications that have been selected for the open call regarding the positions offered in the laboratory of Professor Nektarios Tavernarakis. After careful examination of all applications and the interview with selected candidates the committee decided to make an offer to the following applicants: Mrs. A. Princz (position 1), Mr. I. Gkikas (position 2), Mrs. I. Daskalaki (position 3), Mr. N.Champilas (position 4), Mrs. M.Papandreou (position 5), Mrs. D.Petratou (position 6) and Mr. K.Kounakis (position 7). The selection was made on the basis of the education background of the applicants, their prior expertise and relevance in terms of their prior scientific focus to the MANNA's program aims and their publication records.

All the applicants have been accordingly informed about the outcome of the evaluation process and Mrs. A.Princz, Mr. I.Gkikas, Mrs. I.Daskalaki, Mr. N.Champilas , Mrs. M.Papandreou, Mrs. D.Petratou and Mr. K.Kounakis were invited to sign a contract with IMBB-FORTH.

Heraklion, February 22, 2017

The selection committee:

Nektarios Tavernarakis, PhD

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George Garinis, PhD

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Maria Markaki, PhD

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